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Gentlemen

I am a 'home' computer user that uses Microsoft's Windows 98 for eMail, snail mail correspondence, and occasional web browsing. I am not an accomplished high-tech user. However, I was pleasantly surprised by the recently published recommendations of the various dissenting states, for solution of the Microsoft case. The particular part that interests me, and I would imagine would interest others, is the following:

'Have Microsoft offer a lower-cost, stripped-down version of the Windows Operating system without Microsoft's multi-media software, Internet Explorer Browser or email program.'

I choose to use other sources for these parts of my computing, but am interfered with by the Windows parallel programs. I am not qualified to comment on other recommendations of the dissenting states.

I would also hope that Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly applies some stringent restraints to Microsoft to eliminate the scorn that Microsoft's management has shown for U.S. antitrust laws.

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